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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI [redacted]

FROM: SAC, WFO [redacted] (MC)

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Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies and for NY one copy of a LHM setting forth information received from a highly confidential informant (documentation-anonymous).

The LHM is classified "~~Confidential~~" to protect the informant and as it reflects investigative interest in a representative of a foreign government.

For information.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

201 East 69th Street
New York, New York, 10021

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

MOVEMENT OF SOVIET NATIONALS

DATE: 7/22/64

RE: 3
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130 The following information regarding the above-captioned alien was furnished on
7/21/64 by the office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service located at
NY, NY

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Date and Place of Birth: Saratov

Nationality (Citizenship) USSR Passport No.

Type of Visa: A-1 Occupation: NI

Visa Issued at: MOSCOW Date Visa Issued:

Arrived: Via At JFK, Int.

U. S. Address or Destination Soviet Embassy,
Washington, D.C.

Admitted Until: D/S

Departed: Via At JFK, Int.

Destination: Copenhagen

Permanent Foreign Address: MOSCOW

Dependents: Accompanied by

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WASHINGTON ~~X~~, D.C. 20535

August 5, 1964

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On August 3, 1964, a confidential informant
who has furnished reliable information in the past
learned [REDACTED]

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/ ENCLOSURE

Los Angeles, California
November 7, 1936

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

Mr. J. E. Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

For your information, on October 30, 1936, I visited with Mr. David C. Selznick, President of Selznick International Pictures, Inc., 9836 Washington Boulevard, Culver City, California. The occasion of my visit was in connection with the letters that had been received by his mother, Mrs. Florence Selznick. Mr. Selznick was most pleasant during this visit. He indicated his appreciation of the work that the Federal Bureau of Investigation has conducted during the past years, and was highly laudatory in his comments about you.

While I was in Mr. Selznick's office, he called in Mr. John Hay Whitney, who is the Chairman of the Board of Selznick International Pictures, Inc. Mr. Selznick presented me to Mr. Whitney, and at the time of the introduction stated to Mr. Whitney that you and the Federal Bureau of Investigation had been of much assistance to the motion picture industry in recent years, and that he wanted Mr. Whitney to know me, in the event that he would have any need for the services of the FBI.

Mr. Whitney then in turn stated that he had met you personally a few years ago on the occasion of a visit that he made to Washington. He stated that he visited with Mr. Lewis Douglass of the Treasury Department at that time, and that he made your acquaintance at Mr. Douglass' office. He said he had had a most pleasant visit with you, and he recalls that at that time you mentioned that the Federal Bureau of Investigation was anxious to assist anyone who received extortion letters, or communications threatening kidnaping, et cetera, and that he had not forgotten your statement in that respect. He indicated that he would be pleased to assist this Bureau at any time that he could.

I informed both Mr. Whitney and Mr. Selznick that I would convey to you their personal regards, and both stated they would appreciate very much my doing so.

Sincerely yours,

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Special Agent in Charge

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November 17, 1936

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Mr. David O. Selznick,
President,
Selznick International Pictures,
Incorporated,
9336 Washington Boulevard,
Culver City, California.

Dear Mr. Selznick:

Mr. J. H. Hanson, Special Agent in Charge of
this Bureau's Los Angeles Field Division, has just
advised me of his recent conversation with Mr. John
Hay Whitney and you.

I want you to know how deeply appreciative
I am of your commendatory statements concerning the
activities of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.
It is hoped that our work will always merit your
approval.

I am taking the liberty of placing your
name on our mailing list to receive future editions
of "Uniform Crime Reports" and other publications
which are periodically released by this Bureau.

With best wishes and kind regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

CC LOS ANGELES

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The Attorney General (orig and 1)

January 7, 1957

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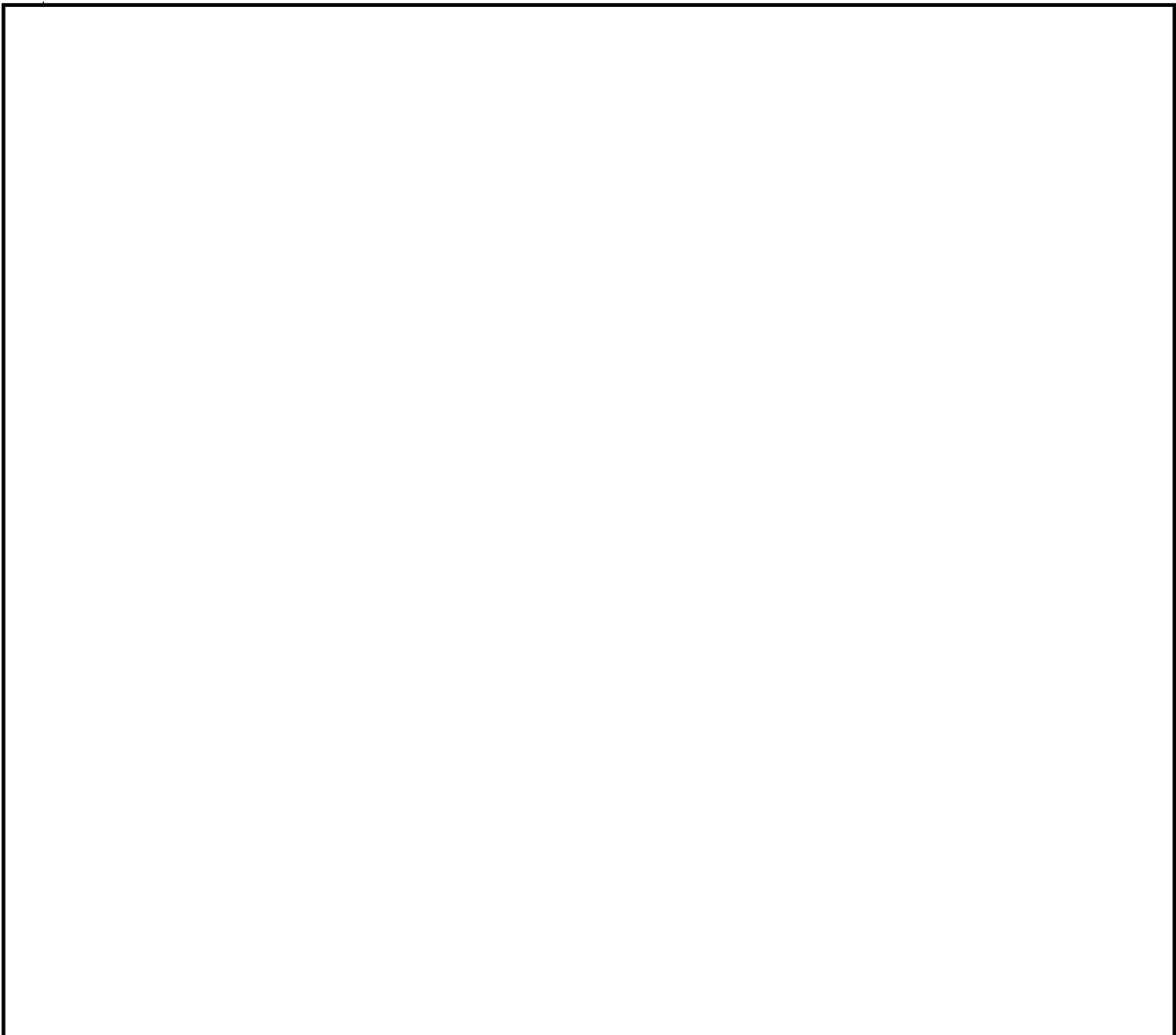
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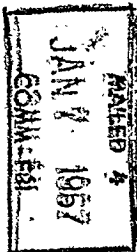
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a confidential informant who has furnished reliable
information in the past:



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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : L. V. Boardman cc - Mr. Boardman
Mr. Belmont
Mr. Wannall

DATE: 1-4-57

FROM : A. H. Belmont

SUBJECT: JAY LOVESTONE, was
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Attached New York airtel 1-1-57 contains information received from [redacted] the information developed as result of [redacted]

The comments made by [redacted] would be of possible interest to the Department of State and possibly also the White House. It should be noted, however, that on 11-10-56 we disseminated information from this same source to Deputy Under Secretary of State Robert Murphy as well as William H. Jackson, Special Assistant to the President. We later received information from [redacted] who also received the material, that there was an indication the information we had furnished to Murphy concerning [redacted] had been revealed by [redacted]

Therefore, while the material in the attached airtel would be of possible interest to both State Department and the White House, since it is not particularly vital information it is proposed that we merely send it to the Attorney General and to Deputy Attorney General Rogers. If the Attorney General desires to call it to the attention of either the White House or the State Department, he may then do so.

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Attached for approval is a letter to the Attorney General with copy for Deputy Attorney General Rogers setting forth the afore-mentioned material from [redacted] developed as a result of [redacted]

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The Attorney General

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Because of the very delicate nature of our source of the above information, no further dissemination is being made.

cc - 1 - Mr. William P. Rogers
Deputy Attorney General

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI [redacted]

DATE: 2/23/62

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FROM : SAC, NEW YORK [redacted] (S) (U)

SUBJECT: ANITA WHITNEY aka
Mrs. Rufo Lopez Fresquet
IS - CUBA

ReBulet 2/8/62.

Enclosed herewith are 11 copies of a letterhead memorandum setting forth information regarding above captioned subject as requested in reBulet.

CC TO:
REQ. REC'D 12-7-62
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BY: A.S.
James Allen Fusca

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

New York, New York
February 23, 1962

Re: Anita Whitney
Internal Security - Cuba

~~James~~ ~~Fusca~~, a public relations man associated with the firm of Fusca and Krone, Incorporated, 527 Madison Avenue, New York City, advised on January 12, 1962, that he was personally acquainted with Anita Whitney who currently is living in Havana, Cuba.

~~NY~~ ~~Fusca~~ stated that he had first met Anita Whitney in late 1958 or early 1959 through "Josh" Reynolds, an heir of the Reynolds Tobacco fortune of Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

Fusca stated that he had met Anita Whitney with "Josh" Reynolds in Malachy's Bar in New York City as this was one of the places frequented by Reynolds. During one of his meetings with Reynolds at Malachy's Bar, Reynolds introduced him to Anita Whitney and at this time, Fusca stated he had learned from Reynolds that Anita Whitney had been living with him for a period of approximately six months.

Fusca stated that Anita Whitney originally comes from a wealthy family of Scarsdale, New York, but that she has been on her own for a number of years because her mother and father have been divorced and apparently neither has any interest in the welfare of Anita.

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. It is the property of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

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APPENDIX

Re: Anita Whitney

MONTHLY REVIEW

A source advised on March 24, 1953, that Monthly Review, Inc., was incorporated in the State of New York on October 19, 1951, and the corporation papers reflected it succeeded the individual business of LEO HUBERMAN at 66 Barrow Street, New York, New York, which operated since 1949 under the title, Monthly Review Press.

The publication is "An Independent Socialist Magazine" with editorial and business offices at 333 Sixth Avenue, New York 14, New York, and mailing address at 66 Barrow Street, New York, New York, according to the March, 1961, issue of "Monthly Review." Its editors are listed as LEO HUBERMAN and PAUL M. SWEEZY.

LOUIS F. BUDENZ, former editor of the "Daily Worker," an East Coast Communist newspaper which suspended publication on January 13, 1958, advised on June 23, 1950, that LEO HUBERMAN was a member of the CP in 1945.

Another source advised on November 2, 1954, that PAUL M. SWEEZY was known as a Marxist, but not as a Communist Party (CP) member. The same source stated that the CP hard core had been critical of SWEEZY because of his independent application of Marxist theory. According to the source, SWEEZY was used to advantage in many CP front activities in the 1930's.

The CP has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

Re; Anita Whitney

Fusca advised that Anita Whitney was last in New York in late August or early September, 1960, as he took her to Idlewild Airport for her return to Cuba. Fusca advised that during the period of time that Anita Whitney was in New York during the summer of 1960, she several times was in the need of money and would call Carlos Romeo in Havana, Cuba, for funds. Fusca stated that Anita Whitney was instructed by Romeo to go to the offices of the "Monthly Review" and pick up the money there which he would cable to her from Havana.

Fusca stated that on one occasion he accompanied Anita Whitney to the offices of the "Monthly Review" to pick up her money.

Fusca advised that sometime during the latter part of 1960 he had spoken to Eileen Earnest who informed him that Anita Whitney was now happily married to Carlos Romeo and was residing in Havana, Cuba. During conversation with Eileen Earnest, Eileen Earnest informed Fusca that Carlos Romeo was a Chilean who was closely associated with Major Ernesto "Che" Guevara.

James Fusca further advised on January 16, 1962, that he did not know the identities of the parents of Anita Whitney but stated that they were related to the well-known Whitney family.

Fusca stated that he was positive of the fact that Anita Whitney was the niece of John Hay Whitney, owner of the New York "Herald Tribune" and the former United States Ambassador to the Court of St. James under the administration of Dwight D. Eisenhower. WJ

Re: Anita Whitney

Concerning James Fusca and the Public Relations firm of Fusca and Krone, it is to be noted that at the present time they are doing public relations work in the United States for the Cuban Families Committee for the Liberation of Prisoners of War, Incorporated.

A characterization of the "Monthly Review" mentioned above is to be found in the Appendix attached hereto.

Concerning CASTRO, mentioned above, it is noted that FIDEL CASTRO is presently Prime Minister of Cuba.

Re: Anita Whitney

Fusca advised that after Anita Whitney broke up with "Josh" Reynolds she went to Havana, Cuba and stayed there with a wealthy American woman named Eileen Earnest. Fusca stated that Eileen Earnest was married to a well to do accountant from New York and had a residence at Varadero Beach, in Havana, Cuba and it was her custom to spend her vacation there every year.

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Fusca stated that during May or June, 1960, he met Eileen Earnest through Anita Whitney who had returned to New York. Fusca described Eileen Earnest as a woman in her late 40's, married to a wealthy American who has a residence at 69 West 9th Street, New York City, and a summer residence at Fire Island, New York.

Fusca stated that Eileen Earnest is a pseudo-intellectual who spends money freely on liberal causes and considers herself to be a Communist or a very liberal thinker. Fusca stated that, in his opinion, Eileen Earnest was not a Communist because she does not have the intelligence to be one.

Fusca stated that through conversation with Eileen Earnest and Anita Whitney during May and June, 1960, he ascertained that after Eileen Earnest left Varadero Beach, Anita Whitney then lived with various individuals in Cuba, whose identities were unknown to Fusca. However, Fusca stated that through Eileen Earnest he ascertained that Anita Whitney became very close to Carlos Romeo, a Chilean Economist who is an assistant to Major Ernesto "Che" Guevara, who is currently the Minister of Industries for the Castro government of Cuba.

SAC, New York

February 8, 1962

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Director, FBI

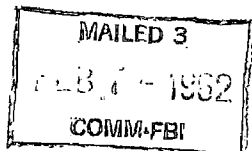
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b7EANITA WHITNEY, aka.
INTERNAL SECURITY - CUBA

Reurlet 1/25/62.

Since data developed in this matter may be of interest to other U. S. agencies, furnish information developed to date concerning subject in form suitable for dissemination. No further inquiries in this matter are necessary at this time.

NOTE:

Subject, a U. S. citizen, is reported to have attended Communist Party meetings in Cuba and to have married Rufo Lopez Fresquet, a former Castro official. Our inquiries have uncovered no information verifying subject's marriage to Rufo. We, however, have learned that subject is alleged to be married to Carlos Romeo, a Chilean economist who is closely associated with "Che" Guevara, Cuban Minister of Industry.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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The above information has been furnished in order to complete the file on ANITA WHITNEY, and no further investigation is contemplated in this matter.

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